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For: SEPARATION AND PURIFICATION OF A SUSPENSION WITH MAGNETIC MICROPARTICLES

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Response to Non Final Office Action

Sir:

Kindly enter this paper in response to the non final Office Action dated, January 12, 2010.

This paper is presented in the following sections: (1) Introductory comments, (2) Amendments to the Abstract, (3) Amendments to the Claims and (4) Remarks.

(1) Introductory Comments

Claims 1- 16 are now present in this application.

No claims have been added or canceled, but they have each been amended to address informalities and to better define the invention.